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SUBJECT: CHINESE ARCHEOLOGICAL EXHIBITION: SAN FRANCISCO  
SHOWING.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE DRAFT LETTER MENTIONED IN REFTEL:

EXCELLENCY:

I HAVE THE HONOR TO REFER TO THE EXCHANGE OF LETTERS  
AND THE AGREEMENT OF OCTOBER 28, 1974, RELATING TO THE  
HOLDING IN THE UNITED STATES OF "THE EXHIBITION OF ARCHEO-  
LOGICAL FINDS OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA".

IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FOR THE HOLDING OF THE EXHIBITION  
ADDITIONALLY AT THE ASIAN ART MUSEUM, SAN FRANCISCO,  
CALIFORNIA, I PROPOSE THE FOLLOWING CHANGES IN THE  
AGREEMENT:

1. THE SECOND SENTENCE OF THE PREAMBLE OF THE LETTER  
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OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:

/I HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT,  
WITH A VIEW TO PROMOTING UNDERSTANDING AND FRIENDSHIP  
BETWEEN THE CHINESE AND AMERICAN PEOPLES, THE CHINESE  
GOVERNMENT IS AGREEABLE TO THE HOLDING OF THIS EXHIBITION  
AT THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART IN WASHINGTON, D.C., AT THE  
NELSON GALLERY-ATKINS MUSEUM IN KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI,

AND AT THE ASIAN ART MUSEUM,SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA,  
FROM DECEMBER 8, 1974 TO OCTOBER 13, 1975.

2. IN POINT 5 OF THE LETTER "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA"  
SHALL BE SUBSTITUTED FOR "KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI".

3. POINT 6 OF THE LETTER SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:  
"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR  
THE COST OF TRANSPORTATION OF THE OBJECTS FROM TORONTO  
TO WASHINGTON, D.C. FROM WASHINGTON, D.C. TO KANSAS CITY,  
MISSOURI, FROM KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI TO SAN FRANCISCO,  
CALIFORNIA TO PEKING. THE MEANS OF TRANSPORT SHALL BE  
PROVIDED BY THE UNITED STATES SIDE.

IF YOUR EXCELLENCY WOULD KINDLY CONFIRM THE PROPOSED  
CHANGES IN A LETTER OF REPLY, THIS LETTER AND YOUR  
EXCELLENCY'S REPLY SHALL CONSTITUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE TWO SIDES.

I AVAIL MYSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS TO YOUR  
EXCELLENCY THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. INGERSOLL

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